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MEMORANDUM FOR :

THROUGH :

SUBJECT : Weapons Training at the FBI Academy,
Quantico, Virginia

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1. During the period 3-14 January 1972, [redacted] and I attended a special weapons training course at the FBI Academy, Quantico, Virginia. Our purpose in attending the course was to acquire additional knowledge and experience [redacted]

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2. Upon our arrival we met Mr. Light, Assistant Special Agent in Charge (ASAC), who introduced us to Mr. Mooney (SAC), who ultimately turned us over to John Cox, our primary instructor.

Summary of Training Exercises Completed

a. Preliminary range sessions with the revolver, including both single and double action firing exercises.

b. Marksmanship courses fired included:

- (1) Practical Pistol Course (PPC)
- (2) Tactical Revolver Course (TRC)
- (3) Close Combat Course (CCC)
- (4) Double Action Course (DAC)
- (5) Multiple Electric Targets
- (6) Running Target
- (7) Dueling Course
- (8) Night Firing
- (9) Shotgun Courses 1, 2, 3
- (10) Rifle Course

3. Other interesting and informative aspects of the training consisted of:

a. A visit to the FBI laboratories and indoor range in the Department of Justice Building.

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- b. A visit to the Alexandria Police Department's indoor/
outdoor range.
- c. Discussions with the Academy Weapons Training Staff on
methods, techniques, courses of fire and range facilities.
- d. The monitoring of portions of an Anti-Sniper Course for
Law Enforcement Officers.

4. The cooperation and instruction we received from Mr. Mooney and his instructor staff was exceptional. We believe that a considerable degree of rapport and relationship was established which will facilitate the enrollment of other Agency officers in subsequent runnings of the course, when required.

5. Our participation in the course was certainly a meaningful and worthwhile enterprise. We propose to implement certain aspects of the FBI Weapons Training Program. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] A separate report containing recommendations will be submitted in the near future.

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6. As a result of our participation and achievements in the course we were awarded a certificate for satisfactory completion of a Special Tactical Firearms Program, conducted at the FBI Academy, Quantico, Virginia.

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